ALLIANCE NOTES.

Members of the Alliance, when writing to us, will greatly favor us if they will always give the No. of their Alliance. We have given the sixth and seventh pages of our paper to the exclusive use of the Alliance. Use them, brethren. For all official orders, rulings, notices, &c., the brethren will ex

Several Alliances in Mississippi have resolved to raise their own tobacco.

-The farmers in the Minnesota Legislature are making their presence known.

Cotton Factory at Centre, Alabama.

854, has contributed the largest amount to the Business Agency Fund.

are deciding not to use any at all.

-The Mississippi Farmers' State Alliance proposes establishing a bagging factory with a capital of \$500,000. -In the Georgia Legislature nearly

half the members of the House and seven in the Senate are Alliance men. -Bro. R. J. Sledge of Texas, has

made a proposition to start a sorghum sugar factory with a capital of \$100,000.

-Dr. J. E. Person, of Pikeville Alliance, No. 539, has made the largest individual contribution to the Business Agency Fund.

-Dr. J. F. Harrell, of Pleasant Hill Alliance, No. 73, contributed the first V to the Business Agency Fund and has certificate No. 1.

offered \$30 in premiums for the largest hog raised by any member of the Alli- over the country, dodging tax gatherance in the county.

-Let every Alliance member living in the Third Congressional District send their postoffice address to Hon. C. W. McClammy, Washington, D. C.

-The Farmers' Alliance of Alabama has received \$150,000 in cash cordingly. and as much more is to be paid in during the year to their Business Agency

-The Farmers' Alliance Warehouse at Henderson is, we learn, on a big boom and its management is giving satisfaction and is drawing to it a very heavy trade.

-Maj. W. A. Graham, Trustee of Business Agency Fund, is preparing a circular relating to the Business Agency Fund which will soon be mailed to each Alliance.

-Ormondsville Alliance, No. 472, Green county, sends 50 cents for our unfortunate brother, William Andrews. forty cents to the William Andrews fund, and Pleasant Grove Alliance, No. 479, also sends 25 cents.

-Chatham County Alliance is in most hearty accord with the action of the State Alliance, and in regular meeting endorsed its demands upon the Legislature. Our correspondent says Chatham farmers are buying corn at 53c. per bushel, (thanks to the Alliance) and are going to try as never before to raise their meat and bread at home, and their fertilizers also.

-State Business Agent, Capt. W. the Alliances with "Trade Cards" at twenty-five cents per hundred. The quinces. Small fruits: Strawberry, matter of selling "Trade Cards" to raspberry, currants, pecans, English the Alliances is not a private enterprise of my own, as some brother has said, but belongs entirely to the Alliance, as every other transaction done in my office. Fraternally, W. A. Darden.

-W. S. Gardner, Secretary of Churchill Alliance, No. 480, says: "Our Alliance is getting on finely. Made a slow start, but we now number twenty-seven, with ten applications for membership. Crops came in very short last year. Have been planting too much cotton, but we have resolved to raise our own meat and bread this year, and plant less cotton, which has about ruined this

-Tne last meeting of the Sampson County Farmers' Alliance was very interesting and profitable. The resolutions, of a business nature, were the right kind, and showed that Sampson county is filled up with farmers as true as steel, and they are going to work for the farming interests. Resolutlons of respect and sympathy were adopted, referring to the death of Col. John Ashford, a worthy member Smith's Cotton Gins, Feeders and of the Alliance.

-A brother of Perry's Alliance, Bertie county, says the fact that "farming does not pay," that "we have bad crops," &c., is, nine times out of ten, the fault of the farmer. He says, "we don't put our lands in proper condition to make good crops, in the first place. We should, as soon as we lay-by crops, about the first of August, commence making manure by hoeing up hedge-rows and getting together all the woods mould we can, and distribute it plentifully on our Branch lands. In addition to this, we should raise all we can in our lots, pig-pens, hen-houses, etc. Stop buying commercial manures, prepare the land properly, plant and cultivate in time, and you will soon cease to hear complaints of poor crops and hard times."

-Hertford County Farmers' Alliance was in session at Winton on the 4th inst. and passed the following: On Salisbury street, in rear of Julius Lewis & Co.'s Moved that we the Business Agents of the various Farmers Alliances and Boards of Trade recommend that each Sub-Lodge resolve that they will not buy any fertilizer during the year 1889 except through our regular County Agent, and that they will not pay any more than last year, less agents' commission. Motion prevailed.

Bro. Arthur Arrington, of Franklin County, N. C., is now in Dallas, -The Farmers' Alliances have Texas, "having the Marshall Planter raised the necessary amount to erect a and Fertilizer Distributor, manufactured at the Alliance Factory." In a letter to us he says: "I have met -The Scotland Neck Alliance, No. Col. R. J. Sledge, of Kyle, Hayes county, Texas, is a native of Warren county, N. C. He is now a wholesale -The Alabama Alliances have hit breeder of mules and horses, and a guano too. All over the State they good Alliance man, and would save money, to Alliance members in North Carolina who who would send orders to him through Capt. W. A. Darden State Alliance Business Agent, Raf eigh, N. C., who could get them in lots of fifty at a time.

The following from Granville county is sent us for publication: "We the members of Berea Alliance, No. 587, Granville county in Lodge assembled February 2d, 1889, do endorse the petition, made to the Legislature by Osgood Alliance, of Chatham county, in regard to the enacting of a Home law requiring every man before casting a vote at elections, to show his poll tax receipt for each year intervening between said election and election next preceeding the one at which he offers to vote, when required to do so. This is a law -Hunt County, Texas, Alliance has that should be passed, for many ablebodied men are walking to and fro ers, who never so much as get their This Company has been names on the tax books, who will in every instance vote to lay a tax on the honest toiling citizen, and not pay a cent of it himself. Let the Alliances, and the honest men all over the State, speak out, and the Legislature act ac-

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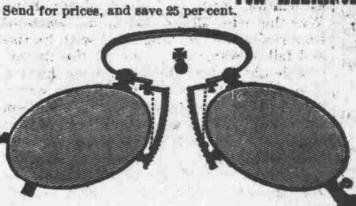
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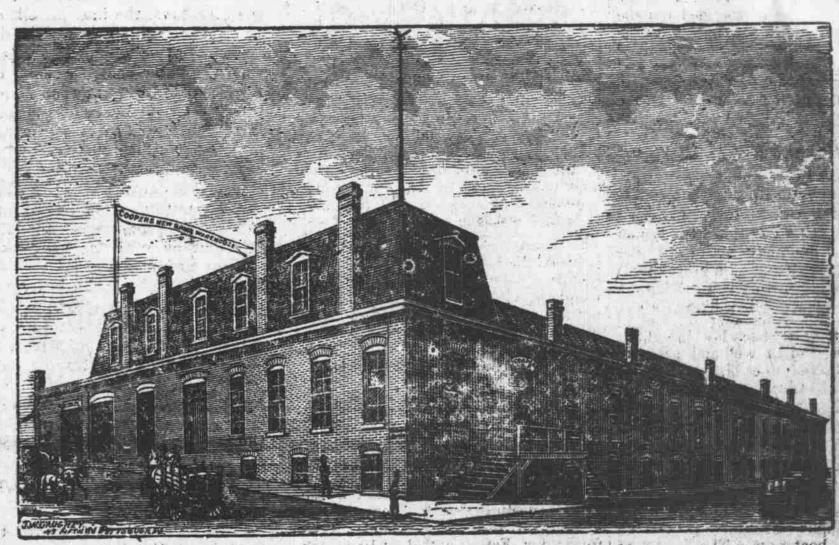
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